

FY 2022 Supplemental Request**LBB 5-8****Department: Department of Agriculture****Sponsors: Crabtree, Troy****Program: Market Development****Description: Specialty Crop Grants****1. Background:**

The Governor recommended a onetime FY 2022 supplemental appropriation of \$900,000 from the Federal Grants Fund in trustee and benefit payments for block grants to industries impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. The increased Specialty Crop Grant awards total \$2.75 million from the United States Department of Agriculture, and are available to the State of Idaho through FY 2026. The award was announced in April 2021, as part of the Consolidated Appropriations Act and may be used for potatoes, fruits, vegetables, nurseries, wine, honey, or other horticultural crops. Crops such as grain, hay, and sugar beets are ineligible. This funding will be removed from budget before calculating the FY 2023 Base. However, there is an FY 2023 request from the same grant.

2. Reopen FY 2022 Budget: Requires unanimous consent or 2/3 majority to reopen.

"I request unanimous consent to reopen the fiscal year 2022 budget for the Department of Agriculture."

3. Motion:

"I move for fiscal year 2022 for the Department of Agriculture \$900,000 onetime from the Federal Grants Fund for specialty crop grants."

Fund	Type	OT	FTP	PC	OE	CO	TB	Total
Recommended Supplemental Appropriation to the Department of Agriculture								
34800	Fed	✓	0.00	0	0	0	\$900,000	\$900,000